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1. IN DISCUSSIONS JUNE 14 WITH BOTH BRITISH COUNCIL
AND FONOFF, PARALLEL TIMING OF CURRENT REORGANIZATION
DISCUSSIONS WITHIN USG AND WITHIN BRITISH GOVT
POSSIBLY AFFECTING INTERNATIONAL CULTURAL AND INFORMA-
TION ACTIVITIES WAS NOTED. WHILE BRITISH FON POLICY
ESTABLISHMENT UNDERGOING SERIOUS REEXAMINATION ACROSS
THE BOARD, BOTH BRIT COUNCIL AND FONOFF CONTACTS
EMPHASIZED THAT THERE IS NO PLAN TO ALTER CURRENT
DIVISION BETWEEN COUNCIL (GENERAL INFORMATION AND

EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE ACTIVITIES) AND RESPONSIBILITIES
OF BRITISH INFORMATION SERVICE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT
POLICIES OF GOVT. THE TWO ARE ONLY LOOSELY COORDINATED
IN LONDON AND BY CHIEFS OF MISSIONS ABROAD.

2. BRITISH ALSO NOTED THEIR INVOLVEMENT IN EUROPE-
ARAB DIALOGUE CONDUCTED BY EC-9 CULTURAL AFFAIRS
COMMITTEE AND INCREASING IMPORTANCE BEING ATTACHED
THERETO.

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3. IN TALKS AT DEPT OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE WE
RESPONDED TO ENQUIRIES CONCERNING BACKGROUND US
/ LEGISLATION AND ROLE OF BFS WHICH IS BEING STUDIED
FOR ITS POSSIBLE APPLICATION TO BRITISH INTERNATIONAL
EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS.

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